

SAMPLE BALLOT

Sample Ballot
Gaston County, North Carolina
November 6, 2012

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Ballot Style G0001

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BALLOT MARKING INSTRUCTIONS:

a. With the marking device provided or a black ball point pen, completely fill in the oval ☐ to the left of each candidate or selection of your choice, like this: ☒

b. Where authorized, you may write in a candidate by filling in the oval and writing the name on the Write-in line.

c. If you tear, deface or wrongly mark this ballot, return it to request a replacement.

PRESIDENTIAL CONTEST

The offices of President and Vice President of the United States are not included in a Straight Party vote. This contest must be voted separately.

President and Vice President of the United States
(You may vote for ONE)

☐ Barack Obama
Joe Biden
Democrat

☐ Mitt Romney
Paul Ryan
Republican

☐ Gary Johnson
James P. Gray
Libertarian

☐ Write-in

STRAIGHT PARTY VOTING

a. Unless otherwise noted, a Straight Party vote is a vote for ALL candidates of that party in PARTISAN OFFICES. It is not necessary to mark individual candidates for PARTISAN OFFICES if you vote a Straight Party.

b. You may vote a Straight Party AND ALSO vote for a candidate of a different party in any individual office.

c. In any multi-seat office, a Straight Party vote is a vote for ALL candidates of that party. If you individually vote for any candidate in a multi-seat office, you must also individually mark all other candidates in that office for whom you wish to vote in order for all votes for that office to be counted.

d. If you do not vote a Straight Party below, you may vote by marking each office separately.

e. A Straight Party vote does not include US President and Vice President, unaffiliated candidates, nonpartisan offices, issues or referenda.

Straight Party
(You may vote for ONE)

☐ Democratic

☐ Republican

☐ Libertarian

PARTISAN OFFICES

US House of Representatives
District 10
(You may vote for ONE)

☐ Patsy Keever
Democrat

☐ Patrick McHenry
Republican

NC Governor
(You may vote for ONE)

☐ Walter H. Dalton
Democrat

☐ Pat McCrory
Republican

☐ Barbara Howe
Libertarian

☐ Write-in

NC Lieutenant Governor
(You may vote for ONE)

☐ Linda D. Coleman
Democrat

☐ Dan Forest
Republican

NC Attorney General
(You may vote for ONE)

☐ Roy Cooper
Democrat

NC Auditor
(You may vote for ONE)

☐ Beth A. Wood
Democrat

☐ Debra Goldman
Republican

NC Commissioner of Agriculture
(You may vote for ONE)

☐ Walter Smith
Democrat

☐ Steve Troxler
Republican

NC Commissioner of Insurance
(You may vote for ONE)

☐ Wayne Goodwin
Democrat

☐ Mike Causey
Republican

NC Commissioner of Labor
(You may vote for ONE)

☐ John C. Brooks
Democrat

☐ Cherie Berry
Republican

NC Secretary of State
(You may vote for ONE)

☐ Elaine Marshall
Democrat

☐ Ed Goodwin
Republican

NC Superintendent of Public Instruction
(You may vote for ONE)

☐ June Atkinson
Democrat

☐ John Tedesco
Republican

NC Treasurer
(You may vote for ONE)

☐ Janet Cowell
Democrat

☐ Steve Royal
Republican

NC State Senate
District 43
(You may vote for ONE)

☐ Kathy Harrington
Republican

NC House of Representatives
District 109
(You may vote for ONE)

☐ Dodie Reese
Democrat

☐ Dana Bumgardner
Republican

Board of County Commissioners
Cherryville Township
(You may vote for ONE)

☐ Allen R. Fraley
Republican

Board of County Commissioners
Crowders Mountain Township
(You may vote for ONE)

☐ Jim Long
Democrat

☐ Joe Carpenter
Republican

Board of County Commissioners
Gastonia Township
(You may vote for ONE)

☐ Jason Williams
Republican

Board of County Commissioners
South Point Township
(You may vote for ONE)

☐ Anthony Eaker Duran
Democrat

☐ Mickey Price
Republican

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-- VOTE BOTH SIDES --



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County Register of Deeds (You may vote for ONE)		NC District Court Judge District 27A (You may vote for ONE)		Soil and Water Conservation District Supervisor (You may vote for ONE)	
<div><div></div><div>Zed Bradley Democrat</div></div> <div><div></div><div>Susan S. Lockridge Republican</div></div>		<div><div></div><div>James A. Jackson</div></div> <div><div></div><div>NC District Court Judge District 27A (You may vote for ONE)</div></div>		<div><div></div><div>William N. (Bill) Craig</div></div> <div><div></div><div>Kenneth Richardson</div></div> <div><div></div><div>Write-in</div></div>	
End of Straight Party Voting					
		<div><div></div><div>Thomas G. Taylor</div></div> <div><div></div><div>Pennie M. Thrower</div></div>		End of Ballot	
NONPARTISAN OFFICES					
NC Supreme Court Associate Justice (You may vote for ONE)		County Board of Education At-Large (You may vote for ONE)			
<div><div></div><div>Sam J. Ervin IV</div></div> <div><div></div><div>Paul Martin Newby</div></div>		<div><div></div><div>Josh Helms</div></div> <div><div></div><div>Jeff K. Ramsey</div></div> <div><div></div><div>Write-in</div></div>			
NC Court of Appeals Judge (You may vote for ONE)		County Board of Education Cherryville Township (You may vote for ONE)			
<div><div></div><div>Linda McGee</div></div> <div><div></div><div>David S. Robinson</div></div>		<div><div></div><div>Mark Upchurch, Sr.</div></div> <div><div></div><div>Write-in</div></div>			
NC Court of Appeals Judge (You may vote for ONE)		County Board of Education Crowders Mountain Township (You may vote for ONE)			
<div><div></div><div>Wanda Bryant</div></div> <div><div></div><div>Marty McGee</div></div>		<div><div></div><div>James Davison</div></div> <div><div></div><div>Nick Huffman</div></div> <div><div></div><div>Kenny Lutz</div></div> <div><div></div><div>Write-in</div></div>			
NC Court of Appeals Judge (You may vote for ONE)		County Board of Education Gastonia Township (You may vote for ONE)			
<div><div></div><div>Chris Dillon</div></div> <div><div></div><div>Cressie Thigpen</div></div>		<div><div></div><div>Jerry J. Bostic</div></div> <div><div></div><div>Alfred C. Current III</div></div> <div><div></div><div>Dot Guthrie</div></div> <div><div></div><div>Write-in</div></div>			
NC Superior Court Judge District 27A (You may vote for ONE)					
<div><div></div><div>Robert T. Sumner</div></div>		<div><div></div><div>Rachelle L. Anger</div></div> <div><div></div><div>Donyel Barber</div></div> <div><div></div><div>Dot Cherry-Accurso</div></div> <div><div></div><div>Chris Howell</div></div> <div><div></div><div>Write-in</div></div>			
NC District Court Judge District 27A (You may vote for ONE)					
<div><div></div><div>Richard B. Abernethy</div></div>					
NC District Court Judge District 27A (You may vote for ONE)					
<div><div></div><div>John K. Greenlee</div></div>					
NC District Court Judge District 27A (You may vote for ONE)					
<div><div></div><div>Angela G. Hoyle</div></div>					
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